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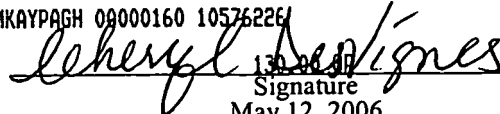
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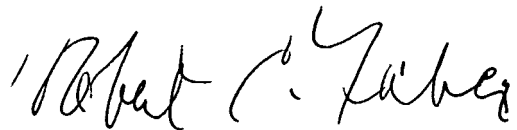05/18/2006 MKAYPAGH 00000160 10576226

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